GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH **ABSTRACT**

Public Services - Legal Metrology Department - Departmental Proceedings - Allegation of possession of assets disproportionate to the known sources of income against Sri T.Surva Prakash, Assistant Controller, Legal Metrology (now retired from service) - Final report submitted by the Anti Corruption Bureau - Examined - Departmental proceedings under Rule 20 – Article of Charges framed - Violation of Conduct Rules - Appointment of Inquiry Authority – Expired – Further action abated – Orders - Issued.

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G.O.Ms.No. 43

Dated: 04-10-2012. Read the following:-

- 1. Final Report from the Director General Anti Corruption Bureau, No.Rc.80/RCA-HRG/2007, dt.16.12.2008.
- 2. G.O.Rt.No.49, CAF (VS) Dept. dt.14.5.2009.
- 3. Govt.Memo.No.635/VS/2007 -6, Dt..18.3.2009 &22-02-2010.
- 4. G.O.Ms.No.31, CAF & CS (VS) Dept. dt.21.7.2010.
- 5. G.O.Rt.No.95, CAF & CS (VS) Dept. dt.23.8.2010.
- 6. G.O.Rt.No.125, CAF & CS (VS) Dept. dt.20.11.2010
- 7. G.O.Rt.No.54, CAF & CS (VS) Dept. dt.25.4.2012.
- 8. G.O.Ms.No.76, Fin.(Pen.II) Dept. dt.02.05.2011.
- 9. From the CLM, Hyd. Lr. No. 5419/VI/2007, dt. 28.7.2012.

ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau recommended to prosecute Sri T.Surya Prakash, Assistant Controller, Legal Metrology under Section 13 (2) r/w 13(1) (e) of the PC Act, 1988 and to initiate Departmental Action under Rule 9(1) (2) (7) & (8) r/w Rule 3 (1) & (2) of A.P.C.S.(Conduct) Rules, 1964 r/w Rule-9(2) (b) of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

- In the G.O. 2nd read above, orders were issued sanctioning provisional pensioin 2. not exceeding 75% of the eligible superannuation pension to Sri T.Surya Prakash, Assistant Controller, Legal Metrology, w.e.f. 1.5.2008 pending out come of the ACB Case against him by withholding DCRG and other pensionery benefits.
- In the reference 3rd read above, Govt., have decided to initiate Departmental Action instead of prosecution in a Court of Law. Accordingly in the G.O. 4th read above, orders were issued initiating the Departmental Action against Sri T..Surya Prakash, Assistant Controller, Legal Metrology under Rule-9 of APRPS, 1980.
- In the G.O. 5th read above, Articles of Charges were issued to Sri T..Surya 4. Prakash, Assistant Controller, Legal Metrology directing to submit his written statement of defense. Government after examination of the written statement of his defense have decided to appoint an Inquiry Authority. Accordingly, in the G.O.6th read above, orders were issued appointing, Sri Ranganatha Swamy, Dy.Controller of Legal Metrology, VSP as Inquiry Officer to enquire into the charges framed against the Accused Officer under Rule-20 of A.P.C.S.(CC&A) Rules, 1991.
- Based on the proposal of the Controller of Legal Metrology, Government have issued orders in the G.O. 7th read above, appointing Sri U.Vimal Babu, Dy.Controller of Legal Metrology, Kunrool as Inquiry Officer in place of Sri Ranganatha Swamy, Dy.Controller of Legal Metrology, Visakhapatnam to inquire into the charges framed against the Accused Officer.

- 6. In the reference 9th read above, the Controller of Legal Metrology has informed that Sri T.Surya Prakash, Assistant Controller (Retd.), L.M. was expired on 12.7.2012 and enclosed the Death Certificate of C.O. for closing the enquiry, as the same is abated.
- 7. Government after careful examination of the matter and keeping in view of the orders issued in the G.O.8th read above, hereby order that further action against Sri T..Surya Prakash (expired), Assistant Controller, Legal Metrology **be abated**.
- 8. The Controller of Legal Metrology, Hyderabad shall take necessary further action as per G.O.Ms.No.76, Finance (Pen.I) Department dated 2.5.2011.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

HARPREET SINGH, E.O.SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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Smt. J.Radha, W/o. Late Sri T.Surya Prakash,

Asst.Controller, Legal Mettrology (Retired.).

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The Contoller of Legal Metrology, A.P. Hyderabad.

The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.

The Accountant General, A.P. Hyderabad,

The Secretary to the Vigilance Commissioner, APVC. Hyd.

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//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER.